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STEEL PRODUCT EXCELLENT IN SURFACE SMOOTHNESS
AND FORMABILITY AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME

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SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated January 22, 2010 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 2, and 10-13 in the above-identified patent application.

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